

## BRITISH CRUSHING IRISH REBELLION

FOUR HUNDRED ARE CAPTURED  
WHEN DRIVEN INTO OPEN  
WITH BOMBS.

### SHIP SHELLS LIBERTY HALL

Center of Disturbances Confined to  
Isolated Localities—More Troops  
Sent in—Post Office Back  
in Hands of English.

London.—The Dublin rebels have been driven out of their positions in Stephen's Green with bombs after sustaining heavy losses says the Daily News.

Kingston, Ireland.—Four hundred Irish rebels were made prisoners when the troops captured St. Stephen's Green and drove them out with bombs.

London.—"The military operations for the suppression of the rebellion in Dublin are proceeding satisfactorily," says a communication issued by Field Marshal French, commanding the home forces.

"What may be described as the organized forces of the rebels," the communication added, "are confined to a few localities, the principal one being the Sackville street district, in which the rebel headquarters appear to be the general post office.

"Considerable damage was caused by fires and a large fire took place in Sackville street.

"In the other parts of Ireland the principal centers of disturbance are in County Galway and in Ennis, where disturbances also are reported in Killarney, Clonmel and Gorey."

### More Troops reach Dublin.

Belfast.—Liberty Hall, the headquarters of the Sinn Féin Society in Dublin, was shelled by a gunboat during the rioting last week in the national capital, according to an official statement given out here.

The Belfast News Letter says it understands the post office at Dublin has been retaken by the military forces. Meanwhile large reinforcements have arrived in Dublin. In other portions of the city the situation is well in hand.

### TEACH KINDNESS TO ANIMALS

American Humane Association Has  
Planned a Nation-Wide Move-  
ment Along This Line.

Allany, N. Y.—May 21 is to be observed by hundreds of churches throughout the United States as "Humane Sunday." At this time clergymen are being urged to preach special sermons on the subject of kindness. The movement is under the direction of the American Humane association of this city, which is prepared to send out a large amount of literature dealing with this subject. A most valuable leaflet has been prepared for clergymen which may be had on request.

The week of May 15-20, inclusive, will be known as "Be Kind to Animals Week" by societies for the prevention of cruelty to animals. During this week every effort will be made to emphasize the economic and moral value of treating animals humanely. Boy scouts and camp fire girls are co-operating to make the movement a success. Work-horse parades, common dog shows, illustrated lectures and the distribution of humane literature are a few of the special plans laid out by the local societies. The anti-cruelty movement is making very rapid progress throughout the United States. There are now 562 anti-cruelty societies, a slight gain over last year. These organizations have handled cases involving 212,215 children and 2,294,721 animals during 1915.

### ROOSEVELT IS FOR SUFFRAGE

Pledges Support to Organization  
Advocating Constitutional  
Amendment.

New York, N. Y.—In a signed statement prepared here for a committee of women representing the congressional union, who appealed to him as the head of the Progressive party, former President Theodore Roosevelt declared that the question of enfranchising women had become national and pledged his support of the proposed amendment to the federal constitution giving the vote to women.

### T. R. Officer of Authors' League.

New York.—Winston Churchill was elected president and Theodore Roosevelt vice-president of the Authors' League at the annual meeting here.

### Bar Silver 71 Cents an Ounce.

New York.—Bar silver was quoted at 71 cents an ounce, the highest price in almost a decade. A month ago the quotation was 62½c, early in the year '06, and just before the war 52½ was a fair quotation.

### Japan Has Faith in U. S.

Tokio.—Dispatches from America concerning Japan's protest against the Burnett Immigration bill are given prominence in the Japanese newspapers, but no anti-American sentiment has been voiced.

### Coal Miners' Strike Ends.

New York.—The 24,000 bituminous coal miners on strike in Pennsylvania have returned to work under an settlement arranged between John P. White for the men and W. K. Fields for the companies.

### Blacklock Elected to Academy.

New York.—Ralph Albert Blacklock, a painter who for years has been an inmate of the Middletown State Hospital for the insane, was elected an academician of the National Academy of Design.

## TELEGRAPH POST IN A VERDUN TRENCH



Telegraphy plays an all-important part in the warfare of today. Every position is directly connected with headquarters by either the telephone or telegraph. This photograph shows one of the advanced trenches at Verdun, where the fighting of the last two months has been more strenuous than at any other time during the war.

## BRITISH LOSE BIG WARSHIP

RUSSELL SUNK IN MEDITERRANEAN SEA.

Eleventh Battleship Lost During War—  
124 Men on Vessel Missing  
After Disaster.

London, England.—The British battleship Russell has been sunk by a mine, it was officially announced today. Admiral Fremantle, the captain of the Russell, 24 officers and 676 men were saved.

About 124 men of the Russell are missing. The warship was sunk in the Mediterranean. A German submarine was sunk off the east coast it was also announced officially.

Under ordinary conditions the Russell carried between 750 and 800 men. The Russell was laid down in 1899 and completed in 1903. She was 405 feet long, 75 feet beam, 26 feet deep and displaced 14,000 tons. She was armed with four 12-inch guns, 12 six-inch guns, 12 three-inch and six three-pound guns and four torpedo tubes. She cost about \$5,000,000.

The Russell is the eleventh British battleship which has been lost during the war. The others were the Audacious, Bulwark, Formidable, Irresistible, Ocean, Goliath, Triumph, Majestic, Natal and King Edward VIII. In addition about 35 other British warships of various classes have been destroyed.

### PREPAREDNESS PROPAGANDA

Sixty-Six Trades and Professions  
Will Be Represented in Twelve-  
Hour Parade.

New York, N. Y.—New York will see one of the most extraordinary parades in its history May 13, when 105,000 business and professional men will march in a 12-hour parade to show their interest and to stir up the interest of New Yorkers in better military, naval and industrial preparedness in this country. Sixty-six trades and professions will be represented.

It was also announced that the national guard will parade. They will be the only marchers who will appear in uniform.

Only two vehicles will be in line. These will head the parade. One will be occupied by Mayor Mitchell and the other by Major-General Wood, commanding the department of the east of the United States army.

### Bisell Offers Defense.

Lansing, Kan.—Fred Bisell, the baker, who confessed to the murder of the 10-year-old Dinmore girl, seeks to justify his crime by the statement that the mother of the little girl had refused to marry him when he asked her. How that would justify the killing of an innocent party he does not attempt to explain.

### Navy Sold at Auction.

Galveston, Tex.—The Honduras navy, consisting of one war vessel, went on the block and was sold at auction to J. W. Steele of Galveston, who will use the boat in towing vessels out to sea.

### British Shipping Hit Hard.

New York.—From figures furnished by the chamber of commerce the British have lost 735 merchant vessels since the beginning of the war. The figures of the admiralty are considerably smaller.

### Rigid Sentences for Auto Thieves.

Joliet, Ill.—Determined to aid in checking the theft of automobiles in Illinois, the state board of pardons announces that hereafter such offenders must serve the full time of any indeterminate sentence.

### Norwegian Steamer Blown Up.

Copenhagen.—The Norwegian steamship Strommen, bound for Lubbeck, Germany, with a cargo of her, from Norway, has been blown up and sunk off Ojeder, Denmark. The crew was landed at Warnsmunde.

## VENIZELOS "COMING BACK"

SENTIMENT FOR MINISTER IS  
SPREADING AMONG GREEKS.

Government Unable to Suppress the  
Demonstrations and Meetings  
for Former Premier.

Athens, Greece.—An impartial observer who has just returned from a tour of all the mainland of Greece reports an amazing spread of sentiment in favor of Eleutherios Venizelos, the former premier, even in conservative Peloponnesus.

The recent efforts of the government to suppress the demonstrations and meetings of the Venizelos adherents has awakened deep resentment among the people and there is a growing determination to oust the present government even if it be necessary to resort to arms.

### Some Favor Revolution.

It is learned from incontestable authority that several leaders of the revolution of 1899 are actively engaged in planning a similar attack, although Venizelos deprecates this and advises instead the practice of patience and use of legal methods. On the other hand the recent plot against him failed only by a hair's breadth, owing to the extraordinary devotion and watchfulness of his followers.

Frequent talks with King Constantine prove to the press that the monarch honestly is persuaded that a policy of inaction is approved by a majority of the Greek people, the king persists in regarding the recent demonstrations of the growing popularity of Venizelos as merely political maneuvers.

### ASK WILSON TO INTERCEDE

New York, N. Y.—Michael Francis Doyle, a lawyer, living in Philadelphia, is in this city in the interest of Sir Roger Casement, from whom he said he had a power of attorney. Doyle said he had come here to see Mrs. George Henry Newman, a sister of Sir Roger, who is living at a hotel and who fled from Ireland because of what she characterized as British "persecution."

"I have wired Secretary Tumulty asking for an appointment with President Wilson," Doyle said, "and will ask him to intercede for Sir Roger."

### Truck Goes 120 Miles in 11 Hours.

Columbus, N. M.—A truck train under Capt. James W. Furlough made a record run into the base, 120 miles from Colonia Dublin, in a little more than 11 hours.

### Too Much Politics, Quits Job.

Chicago.—Capt. Nicholas Hunt, who was made head of the detective bureau several months ago, sent his resignation to Mayor Thompson. Too much politics was given as the reason.

### Turkey Asked About Elkus.

Washington.—The state department has inquired of the Turkish government whether Abram I Elkus of New York would be acceptable as American ambassador to succeed Henry Morgenthau, whose resignation has been accepted by President Wilson.

### Sheriff's Pose Kills Two.

Muskogee, Ok.—Two fugitives, Joe and Dave Smith, who resisted arrest by a sheriff's posse, were slain when they opened fire on the officers.

### Snow in Central West Texas.

San Angelo, Tex.—Flurries of snow fell here on the 28th when the temperature reached 40 degrees. Many lambs on the range died, and newly-sheared sheep suffered. Some damage was done to growing crops.

### College Credit for Training Camp.

Hanover, N. H.—The faculty of Dartmouth College has recommended to the board of trustees that credit be given toward a degree to undergraduates who attend a camp of military training next summer.

## BAR ASSOCIATION URGES REVISION

COMMITTEE IS APPOINTED TO  
DRAW UP PLANS FOR NEW  
CONSTITUTION

### JUDGE D. H. HARRIS, CHAIRMAN

Twenty-One Members of Body Will  
Outline Schemes for Considera-  
tion of Legislature—Manly  
O. Hudson Secretary.

Jefferson City.—The committee appointed by the state bar association to consider the presentation of code revision to the next session of the Missouri General Assembly just met here. Judge D. H. Harris of Fulton, was elected as chairman and Manly O. Hudson of Columbia was chosen secretary of the committee.

Of the membership of 25 the following members of the committee attended the meeting: Judge William M. Williams of Booneville; Judge O. P. Williams of St. Louis; Manly O. Hudson of Columbia; Judge John W. Halliburton of Carthage; Judge D. H. Harris of Fulton; Judge Hugo Muench of St. Louis; T. L. Montgomery of Kahoka; Judge W. T. Ragland of Paris; Robert Lamar of Houston; Martin E. Lawson of Liberty; Judge Ernest N. Powell of Kansas City, and Peyton Parks of Clinton.

### Commercial Clubs Pledge Aid.

Many heads of departments of the State administration and heads of State institutions met with officers of the Federation of Missouri Commercial Clubs last week.

Plans were discussed for co-operation in developing the resources of Missouri and aiding the various organizations in all parts of the state that are working for community advancement.

Resolutions were adopted endorsing the following:

The making of a survey of the social and economic resources of the communities of Missouri.

The effort of the federation to increase the number of county farm agents and county highway engineers in Missouri.

The introduction of a seed-testing method in every county in Missouri.

The effort to obtain a pure seed and pure seed law for Missouri and a stallion registration law.

To formulate a plan of co-operation between merchants and farmers that will result in better marketing facilities.

To assist in bringing about a revision of Missouri's constitution.

Among those attending the meeting were:

P. P. Lewis, president state board of agriculture; Jewell Mayes, secretary of the same body; A. A. Coult, state poultry station, at Mountain Grove; Dean E. F. Mumford, state agricultural college; Dr. A. Ross Hill, president state university; F. M. Carr, secretary state teachers' association; A. L. McRae, director school of mines, Rolla; Dr. John R. Kirk, president normal school, Kirksville; Dr. E. L. Hendricks, president normal school, Warrensburg; Dr. Ira Richardson, president normal school Maryville; E. G. Bennett, state dairy commissioner; H. A. Buehler, state geologist; J. T. Fitzpatrick, state labor commissioner; W. H. Bloomer, president federation of Missouri commercial clubs; Allan H. Hinchey, secretary federation of commercial clubs; A. W. Douglas, chairman of the executive committee of the federation, and the following members of the executive committee: J. H. Scarborough, Warrensburg; H. L. Marks, Carthage; T. C. Beasley, Chillicothe; C. L. Moore, Illinois; E. P. Lampkin, St. Louis, and D. H. Doane, St. Louis.

### Pharmacists Pass Examination.

Following is a list of the candidates who passed the examination of the board of pharmacy at Kansas City: Registered—Louis L. Blank, Prairie Home; Edward F. Duggins, Corder; Walter D. Jensen, St. Joseph; G. W. Kessler, Alma; Charles M. Murray, Cameron; A. L. Osborn, Joplin; Walter E. Dunn, Chillicothe; James B. Trullinger, Cassville; Miss Clara H. Stanton, Boulder, Colo., and James P. Parrish, Brighton, Colo.

Assistant—E. L. Angell, Kingsville; Harry O. Burke, Mound City; H. W. Bixson, St. Louis; E. N. Henderson, Harris; John Hagerman, Lagrange; Louise Jesse, Mexico; C. V. Jamison, St. Joseph; Fred Schelder, St. Louis; Miss Hazel Martin, St. Louis; Walter E. Sanner, Brookfield.

The next meeting of the board will be held in Excelsior Springs the middle of June, the exact date to be announced later.

### Rate Rehearing Asked.

Motion for a rehearing was filed with the state public service commission by the Missouri Pacific-Iron Mountain System in the cancellation of coal rates filed last November. The schedule affected chiefly coal mine operators in Southeast Missouri. The railroads allege that the commission in its recent order refuses to permit the roads to file tariffs which are in compliance with the law as construed by the supreme court of the state. The matter was taken under advisement.

### Postoffice Repairs.

J. Thomas Fisher, postmaster of Jefferson City, has received plans and specifications from Washington for extensive repairs on the customhouse and postoffice building. The repairs cover a new elevator, painting and rearrangement of the floors used for the postoffice. These repairs have nothing to do with the bill pending in congress for a \$75,000 addition to the building. Our representative from this district has been promised proper support for this needed improvement.

### Deaths on the Railroads.

The report of the public service commission for the last year shows that the railroads of Missouri killed 245 persons and injured 2,275, and the electric lines killed 27 and injured 2,706, making the total 282 killed and 5,431 injured. The total damage to property by railroad accidents for the year was \$368,735.45.

The steam roads killed two passengers, 63 employees, 164 trespassers and 16 others. The electric lines killed two passengers, one employee, three trespassers and 31 others.

### University Work Hampered.

Dr. A. Ross Hill, president of the State University, discussing the lack of state funds which has made it necessary to borrow \$83,000 from a Columbia banker to pay teachers' salaries and general maintenance expenses of the university for the last three months, pointed out that the state was in danger of losing \$65,000 appropriated by Congress biennially under the Smith-Lever act for agricultural extension.

It is a requirement of this act that the federal appropriation be duplicated by the state. The Missouri legislature appropriated the funds for the purpose and the work of 20 experts from the college of agriculture is being carried on under this provision.

### Protest Assessment Raised.

Five of the largest railroads in the state have protested before the state board of equalization against having their assessments increased this year. The Missouri Pacific was represented by J. M. Seibert, the M. K. & T. by C. C. Sherwin, the Burlington by P. F. Horwick, the Wabash by R. C. Winston and the Frisco by R. T. Booth.

The valuations fixed on these properties last year were:

Missouri Pacific, \$22,355,387, on a mileage of 1,500.

Burlington, \$18,896,492, on a mileage of 1,136.

M. K. & T. \$8,973,543, on a mileage of 505.

Frisco, \$21,011,258, on a mileage of 1,688.

Wabash, \$10,862,058, on a mileage of 578.

### Commission's Report.

The report of the public service commission for the year 1915, which has just been made public, shows that 1,084 corporations, municipalities and individuals are engaged in serving the public in some capacity in Missouri. The most important and numerous are the transportation companies, and of these we have a total of 153. Telephone companies seem to rank next for business is found for 488 of these concerns. During the year complaints came from 262 formal sources, and of these 95 are still pending. Informal complaints to the number of 481 were filed, of which 419 were settled by correspondence, leaving 62 still pending.

### Bond Issues Authorized.

Authority was granted by the state public service commission to the St. Louis & Suburban Railway Co., and to the St. Louis & Meramec Railway Co. to issue \$1,000,000 bonds each for refunding purposes.

These are underlying companies of the United Railways Company of St. Louis. The issues are under first mortgages of the underlying companies, executed in 1903.

### Normal School Requisitions Unpaid.

It has become known at the capitol that the state besides being some \$83,000 behind in the payment of salaries and maintenance expenses of the Missouri state university, also has been unable to meet the necessary expenses at the state normal schools.

The Warrensburg Normal reported that salaries and many other expenses had not been paid for several months. At the Kirksville, Maryville and Cape Girardeau normals salaries have been paid, but requisitions for money for many other expenses have not been honored.

### Light and Water Rates Upheld.

Although experts for the public service commission found that the West St. Louis Water and Light Co. was earning 10 per cent, and although the commission has established a maximum earning power of 7 per cent for other public utilities, the board upheld the rates of the concern, and declared that it was not unjust or unreasonable and that it does not yield an unreasonable return on the investment.

### Acrimonious Dispute.

The president of the state university and the state officials are engaging in an acrimonious argument concerning the university man's statement that the state owes the school a considerable amount of money. The dispute was started a week ago, and so far personalities have been left out of the discussion.

### Martin for Congress.

B. Raleigh Martin of St. Joseph has filed his declaration with the secretary of state as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress from the fourth district. Sam C. Major of Fayette has also filed as a candidate from the seventh district.

### Gardner Files for Governor.

Col. Frederick Frederick D. Gardner has filed his official notice with the Secretary of State Roach that he is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor.

Five Democratic candidates are now squarely in the ring for this office, the other four being Barker, Atkinson, Roach and Lindsay. Two, Painter and Houchins, have not filed up to the present time.

### Suspended for 530 Years.

Drs. J. H. and U. S. G. Hughes of Kansas City will not practice medicine and surgery again if the penalties entered against them by the state board of health are to stand.

Dr. J. H. Hughes was found guilty of selling morphine, cocaine, heroin, and similar drugs in violation of the state and federal laws on 63 counts, and was suspended from practice 10 years on each count, a total of 530 years. His brother, Dr. U. S. G. Hughes was found guilty on 29 counts and suspended for 290 years.

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## REBELS SURRENDER REBELLION BROKEN

BRITISH OFFICERS LOSE HEAVILY  
IN RECENT IRISH  
UPRISING.

### DESTROY SACKVILLE STREET

Rioters Defeat in Various Parts of City  
Cause Breaking Up of Plan for  
Separation at the Present  
Time.

London.—An official announcement concerning the situation in Ireland says:

"Seven hundred and seven prisoners have been taken, including the Countess Markievicz.

"Messengers have been sent from the leader of the Dublin rebels to other rebels in Galway, Clare, Wexford, Louth and Dublin counties ordering them to surrender."

An official list of the casualties among the army officers at Dublin contains twenty-seven names. Of this total, five were killed, twenty-one wounded and one missing. This list is additional to the one announced Friday, giving the names of two officers killed and two wounded, making thirty-four in all.

### Dublin.—"The rebel leaders have

surrendered unconditionally." This is the message received from an authentic source within the Sackville street area. The information is that, with the exception of straggling snipers from houses and warehouses, the insurrection, as far as Dublin is concerned, is practically at an end.

Jim Connolly, the chief leader, has been shot.

This sudden and dramatic end followed defeats in the various parts of the city for the rebels. Their main stronghold, the post office, was fired by the insurgents themselves with paraffine oil. The building burned fiercely and then the rebels retired to the Coliseum Music Hall, at the top of Sackville street. Later, finding themselves hemmed in by the troops, they surrendered in a body—those who had not been shot by the military.

The Metropole Hotel is burned to the ground and both sides of Sackville street are practically burned out. Talbot street is practically destroyed, together with Eden quay.

The troops have been continually closing in on the houses. Orders have been issued to cease firing. Four hundred rebels have surrendered in the southern part of the city.

### GET PENNY FOR EACH SPARROW

Boys at Bartlesville, Ok., Work at  
Night With Flashlights and  
Earn Spending Money.

Bartlesville, Oklahoma.—A dozen or more boys of this city are doing much to rid the community of English sparrows in order that song birds may multiply and flourish, and at the same time earning pocket money. For each sparrow captured and destroyed they receive a reward of a penny.

The method adopted by the sparrow hunters rests chiefly upon a pocket flashlight, for their work is at night. During the day they find the nesting places of the pest birds.

When darkness falls they go from house to house, climb to the roofs of the birds, turn the glare of the flashlight upon them, and the rest is easy. They visit from 10 to 20 houses a night.

### CHURCH BELL FALLS ON MAN

Weights 1,500 Pounds, Hits New York  
Contractor's Head, but Does  
Little Damage.

New York City, N. Y.—Michael J. Kiernan, a contractor of Irvington, N. Y., was hanging a 1,500-pound bell in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, at Tarrytown, N. Y., when the bell fell, striking him on the head and cutting an ear and hand. He succeeded in staying on the scaffold.

"It isn't every man who can get hit with a 1,500-pound bell and live to tell it," said Kiernan, "and I don't know as I want to get the habit."

### EXPERIMENTS

Teach Things of Value.

Where one has never made the experiment of leaving off coffee and drinking Postum, it is still easy to learn something about it by reading the experiences of others.

Drinking Postum is a pleasant way out of coffee troubles. A Penn. man says:

"My wife was a victim of nervousness, weak stomach and loss of appetite for years; and although we resorted to numerous methods for relief, one of which was a change from coffee to tea, it was all to no purpose.

"We knew coffee was causing the trouble but could not find anything to take its place until we tried Postum. Within two weeks after she quit coffee and began using Postum almost all of her troubles had disappeared as if by magic. It was truly wonderful. Her nervousness was gone, stomach trouble relieved, appetite improved and, above